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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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A request is hereby made for a one-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 17, 2008, i.e., from January 19, 2009 (January 17, 2009 being a Saturday) to and including February 17, 2009. The fee for a one-month extension of time is being paid concurrently herewith.

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